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TITLE OF INVENTION: METHOD FOR ANALYTICALLY OBTAINING CLOSED FORM EXPRESSIONS FOR SUBSURFACE TEMPERATURE DEPTH DISTRIBUTION ALONG WITH ITS ERROR BOUNDS

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